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Proceedings of the Board of Stewards for the period of Monday, July 02, 2007 through Sunday, June 08 2007. Steward Michael W. "Wayne" Oke was the Reporting and Duty Steward for the enclosed period.

#### Monday

07/02/07 (1) **Dark Day** 

#### **Tuesday**

# 07/03/07 (1) **Double Draw**

The race office was open today taking entries for Friday July 06, 2007 and Saturday July 07, 2007. One hundred and two (102) horses were drawn into twelve (12) races for Friday July 06, 2007 with scratch time at the draw.

Ninety three (93) horses were drawn into twelve (12) races for Saturday July 07, 2007 with scratch time Thursday July 05, 2007 at 9:00 a.m.

07/03/07 (2) **Dark Day** 

#### Wednesday

07/04/07 (1) **Dark Day** 

#### **Thursday**

#### 07/05/07 (1) **Scratch Time**

Scratch time for Saturday July 07, 2007 was at 9:00 a.m. today. There were eight (8) driver changes for Saturday's card.

Additionally, twenty one (21) horses were drawn into four (4) qualifying races to be contested at 4: 00 p.m.

#### 07/05/07 (2) **Film Review**

L. Pena attended with the stewards to review the films of Race #3 on Saturday June 30, 2007. Mr. Pena appeared to not be very aggressive in his drive on #4 "Speedy Feldy". Mr. Pena explained that the horse himself was not very aggressive and additionally had soundness problems.

The stewards suggested Mr. Pena be more aggressive and if the horse is not sound don't enter him. Mr Pena agreed to be more aware in the future.

## 07/05/07 (3) **Qualifying Races**

Sixteen (16) out of twenty (20) horses competing were successful in their qualifying effort.

The qualifying races were compromised by a malfunctioning timer.

#### 07/05/07 (4) **Fourth Race – Inquiry/Disqualification**

The stewards posted the 'inquiry' immediately after the finish of Race #4 to investigate an incident in mid-stretch when #1 "Ridgeline", driven by G. Herrera, broke stride and veered to his right and appeared to interfere with #2 "Red Star Baron", driven by R. Johnson, and then in attempting to correct his path, impeded the progress of #4 "D Jokerman", driven by L. Plano.

After viewing the films and speaking with the drivers involved the stewards concluded that #1 had in fact caused interference with #2 and impeded #4. #1, who finished third (3<sup>rd</sup>), was disqualified and placed fourth (4<sup>th</sup>). Driver G. Herrera was held blameless in the incident and no further sanctions were deemed necessary.

Original order of finish: 4-3-1-2-5-6-7 Official order of finish: 4-3-2-1-5-6-7

# 07/05/07 (5) **Lou Pena Ruling – Race #2**

Driver L. Pena programmed to drive "Avid Sportsmind" did not appear in the paddock to post parade his horse until two (2) minutes to post. Driver L. Pena is fined Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) late to post parade.

#### **Ruling # 132**

Driver Lou Pena, who drove "Avid Sportsman" in the Second Race on Thursday, July 05, 2007, is hereby fined the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50) for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered – Late Leaving Paddock).

### 07/05/07 (6) California Horse Racing Board Case #07SW-0036

The above mentioned case was dismissed.

# 07/05/07 (7) **Program Changes**

8<sup>th</sup> Race Declaration - #1 "Millwood Lilli N" – Trainer R. Plano

Injured – Dr. Robert Goodbary

#6 "Poppops Missrockyd" – Trainer T. Clevenger

Refunds: \$62.60 Injured – Dr. Robert Goodbary 11<sup>th</sup> Race Declaration - #1 "Hubble" – Trainer G. Herrera Refund: \$105.60 Injured – Dr. Robert Goodbary

# 07/05/07 (8) **Eighth Race – Inquiry/Disqualification**

During the stretch drive #7 "Kudette", driven by Scott Cisco, broke stride and continued through the finish. Utilizing films and the photo finish, the stewards determined that #7 was 'lapped on' by #3 "Direct Alberta" and #5 "Indigo Franco N". #7 finished third (3<sup>rd</sup>) and was placed fifth (5<sup>th</sup>) for violation of the 'breaking rule'.

Original order of finish: 4-8-7-5-3-2-9 Official order of finish: 4-8-5-3-7-2-9

#### 07/05/07 (9) **Eighth Race - Claim**

#8 "Halory Hanover" was claimed for \$3,600.00. The owner will be Erica Plano and trained by R. Plano.

#### 07/05/07 (100) Attendance and Handle

Attendance	256
Live Handle (On Track)	\$45,834.60
Handle (In State)	\$387,928.20
Handle (Out of State)	\$258,747.40
Total Handle	\$692,510.20

#### Friday

# 07/06/07 (1) Fifth Race – Dead Heat for Fourth (4<sup>th</sup>)

The stewards were unable to separate #3 "Pebble Beach Rod" and #4 "Something New" at the wire, resulting in a dead heat for fourth (4<sup>th</sup>).

# 07/06/07 (2) Fifth Race – Driver Cautioned

During the stretch drive, R. Wojcio on #8 "Frank The Bank" was observed with his right foot out of the stirrup. Driver Wojcio was contacted by telephone and stated that the sulky he was using was not setup for him and he had trouble keeping his foot in the stirrup. Driver Wojcio was advised that no further instances of this nature would be tolerated. Since Driver Wojcio had no history of this infraction the stewards felt a warning would suffice on this occasion.

### 07/06/07 (3) **Eighth Race – Disqualification**

During the running of the Race #8, in an incident just past the half mile pole #7 "Life's Honor" made a break and impeded the progress of #9 "Pink Stilettos", driven by R. Plano. The stewards, after reviewing the films, disqualified #7 and placed him behind #9 in the official order of finish. Driver Svendsen was held blameless in the incident.

Original order of finish: 6-1-3-10-2-5-4-<u>7</u>-9-8 Official order of finish: 6-1-3-10-2-5-4-9-7-8

### 07/06/07 (4) **Tenth Race – Disqualification**

During the stretch in Race #10, #5 "Steady As A Rock", driven by D. Siegel, made a break which continued through the finish line. No ground as lost during this incident. #5 finished sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) and was placed eighth (8<sup>th</sup>) for violation of the breaking rule.

Original order of finish: 4-6-1-8-7-<u>5</u>-2-3 Official order of finish: 4-6-1-8-7-2-3-<u>5</u>

# 07/06/07 (5) **Eighth Race – Driver Change**

After the running of Race #7 Driver Tim Maier contacted the stewards by telephone and requested that he be excused from his drive on #6 "Hazel Bell" in Race #10 for 'personal reasons'. Mr. Maier's request was granted. #6 "Hazel Bell" was driven by R. Plano in Race #10.

# 07/06/07 (6) **Program Changes**

3<sup>rd</sup> Race Declaration - #2 "Oh My Sydney" – Trainer Patty Harris
Refund: \$111.20 Injured - Dr. Robert Goodbary
7<sup>th</sup> Race Declaration - #8 "Louie Lu I" – Trainer R. Stidham
Refund: \$0 Injured - Dr. Robert Goodbary
11<sup>th</sup> Race Declaration - #2 "Mister Streak" – Trainer Patty Harris
Refund: \$1 Injured - Dr. Robert Goodbary
12<sup>th</sup> Race Declaration - #5 "Green And Gold" – Trainer Patty Harris
Refund: \$1 Injured - Dr. Robert Goodbary

#### 07/06/07 (7) Attendance and Handle

Attendance	457
Live Handle (On Track)	\$63,454.00
Handle (In State)	\$640,061.90
Handle (Out of State)	\$329,431.74
Total Handle	\$1,032,947.64

#### **Saturday**

#### 07/07/07 (1) **First Race - Claim**

#4 "Unda Investigation" was claimed for \$2,000.00. The owner will be Laurie Ferris and trained by Q. Schneider.

#### 07/07/07 (2) **Seventh Race - Claim**

#2 "Tux Time" was claimed for \$3,000.00. The owner will be Summersby Stables.

### 07/07/07 (3) Tenth Race – Inquiry/Non Starter

When the horses were called to the gate for Race #10, #8 "Enzed Girl N" driven by G. Herrera who was being assisted by the outrider refused to go to the gate. #8 was left as the remainder of the field was in position and the start proceeded. The 'inquiry' sign. At the conclusion of the race and after conferring with the starter and the outrider, the stewards declared #8 "Enzed Girl N" a 'non-starter'. Driver G. Herrera was held blameless in this incident. "Enzed Girl N" was placed on the Stewards' List.

# 07/07/07 (4) Twelfth Race – Inquiry/Accident

Approaching the 3/4 pole #2 "Police Cadet", who was first over in the two path, suffered broken equipment 'front left hopple hanger came unfastened' causing him to fall. In quick succession #6 "Liner', #7 "Fitch Inter Letrado", #8 "Alison Alison", #9 "Flash The Sign" and #10 "King Of War" fell. #4 "Beast Coast", while bothered, stayed on his feet. The stewards' immediately posted the 'inquiry' and after consultation with other officials and reviewing film, it was unanimously decided to declare the race 'no contest' and refund all monies wagered. Accident reports are included with these minutes.

### 07/07/07 (5) **Program Changes**

4<sup>th</sup> Race Declaration - #7 "Frolov" – Trainer J. Wilkinson, Jr.

Refund: \$0 Injured – Dr. Robert Goodbary

5<sup>th</sup> Race Declaration - #2 "You Asked For It" – Trainer Brian Pharies

Refund: \$1 Injured – Dr. Robert Goodbary

#### 07/07/07 (6) Attendance and Handle

Attendance	956
Live Handle (On Track)	\$71,706.70
Handle (In State)	\$456,322.10
Handle (Out of State)	\$405,336.20
Total Handle	\$933,365.00

### **RULINGS ISSUED THIS WEEK**

07/05/07 131 Driver Gilbert Garcia-Herrera, is hereby fined the sum of Fifty (\$50) Dollars for failure to fulfill his driving engagement in the Eighth Race Saturday, June 30, 2007. A violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule # 1872 (Failure to Fulfill Jockey (Driver) Agreement). 07/06/07 132 Driver Lou Pena, who drove "Avid Sportsman" in the Second Race on Thursday, July 05, 2007, is hereby fined the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50) for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered – Late Leaving Paddock). 07/06/07 Driver Tim Maier, who drove "Hwy Forty" in the Fifth Race on 133 Thursday July 05, 2007 is hereby fined the sum of One Hundred (\$100) Dollars for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule # 1731 (G) (Starting Rules - Failure to Come Up into Position).

# CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD

# **SUMMARY**

### 2007

	Mon 07/02	Tues 07/03	Wed 07/04	Thurs 07/05	Fri 07/06	Sat 07/07	Total Week	Total Meet
Accidents	D	D	4 <sup>TH</sup>	0	0	1	1	2
Cal-Bred Races	A	A	0	0	0	0	0	14
Claims	R	R	F	1	1	2	4	146
Disqualification's	K	K	J	2	2	0	4	69
Inquiries	D	D	U	2	2	2	6	122
Refunds	A	A	L	3	3	1	7	286
Rulings	Y	Y	Y	1	0	2	3	133

Stewards Attendance: Stewards Oke, Nicolo and Baker were in attendance.

All drivers submitted to a breathalyzer test.

Michael W. "Wayne" Ok	e, Steward
Paul Nicolo, Steward	
Grant Baker, Steward	

# WEEKLY SUMMARY

#### ATTENDANCE

**REPORT -** The full Board of Stewards was in session each day during this

reporting period for both morning business and the afternoon racing program.

### VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

Date	Race	No.	Horse	Trainer	Reason	Vet	Refund
5-Jul	8	1	MILLWOOD LILLI N	PLANO	Injured	Goodbary	\$1.00
	11	1	HUBBLE	HERRERA	Injured	Goodbary	\$61.60
6-Jul	3	2	OH MY SYDNEY	HARRIS	Injured	Goodbary	\$111.20
	7	8	LOUIE LU I	STIDHAM	Injured	Goodbary	\$0.00
	11	2	MISTER STREAK	HARRIS	Injured	Goodbary	\$1.00
	12	5	GREEN AND GOLD	HARRIS	Injured	Goodbary	\$1.00
	11	2	MISTER STREAK	HARRIS	Injured	Goodbary	\$1.00
	12	5	GREEN AND GOLD	HARRIS	Injured	Goodbary	\$1.00
7-Jul	4	7	FROLOV	WILKINSON	Injured	Goodbary	\$0.00
	5	2	YOU ASKED FOR IT	PHARIES	Injured	Goodbary	\$1.00

### **WEEKLY HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES**

Bakersfield	\$ 8,156.30
Bay Meadows	\$ 91,940.70
Eureka	\$ -
Fresno	\$ 7,088.40
Fresno Club One	\$ 3,825.10
Golden Gate	\$ 66,959.30
Monterey	\$ 9,481.80
Pleasanton	\$ -
Sacramento	\$ 155,961.00
San Jose	\$ 50,300.40
Santa Rosa	\$ 12,001.90
Stockton	\$ 24,342.10
Tulare	\$ 1,287.40
Turlock	\$ 2,449.70
Vallejo	\$ 26,557.80
Racing Fairs	\$ 27,484.10
So. California	\$ 168,632.20
Out of State	\$ 993,515.34

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# JOCKEY/DRIVER ACCIDENT REPORT

Business and Professions Code Section 19481.3(e) provides that the stewards shall investigate and prepare a report regarding all on-track accidents involving jockeys that occur during the performance of their duties. The investigation shall commence no later than the next live racing day and shall be completed expeditiously. Board Rule 1536, Stewards' Minutes, includes drivers in this requirement. **Upon completion of the report it shall** 

immediately be sent by facsimile or electronic mail to the Jockey's Guild or California Harness Horsemen's Association; the jockey/driver or his representative; the racing association; the owner; and the trainer of the horse the jockey/driver was riding/driving at the time of the accident.

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Name of jockey/driver & CHRB License No.:	Scott Cisco 246658
Name of horse owner & CHRB License No.: Sco	tt Cisco 256875 & Armando Fraser 292807
Name of trainer & CHRB License No.: Scott Cis	sco 270035
Name of horse and Tattoo No.: Alison	Alison W4250
Date/time/location of accident: 07/07/07 1	0:50 p.m. Cal Expo
DESCRIPTI	ION OF ACCIDENT
	the extent of injury to jockey/driver, if any. Complete one involved in an accident. In addition to the distribution described tewards' minutes in accordance with Rule 1536,
the horse to fall, unseating Driver Scott Cisco.	n Alison", was involved in a chain reaction accident causing Cisco was transported by ambulance to a local hospital as right hip. He was treated and released and resumed his
/s/Oke /Baker /Nicolo	July 13, 2007
Signature of Steward	Date report completed

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/s/Oke /Baker /Nicolo

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July 13, 2007

Date report completed

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Name of jockey/driver & CHRB	License No.: _	James Lackey 263817
Name of horse owner & CHRB L	icense No.: _	Cynthia Rios 258119
Name of trainer & CHRB License	e No.: Bob Jo	ohnson 239419
Name of horse and Tattoo No.: _	Flash	The Sign T7168
Date/time/location of accident:	07/07/07	10:50 p.m. Cal Expo
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Jockey/Driver Accident Report for e	ach jockey/drive	I the extent of injury to jockey/driver, if any. Complete one er involved in an accident. In addition to the distribution described stewards' minutes in accordance with Rule 1536,
the horse to fall, unseating Drive	r Lackey, who xamined by the	h The Sign" was involved in a chain reaction accident causing was propelled forward and landed awkwardly on his shoulde ne paramedics and declined further treatment. Driver Lackey 11, 2007.
/s/Oke /Baker /Nicolo Signature of Steward		
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/s/Oke /Baker /Nicolo

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Name of horse owner & CHRB License No.: Tricia McConnell 246728
Name of trainer & CHRB License No.: <u>Tricia McConnell 251946</u>
Name of horse and Tattoo No.: Police Cadet WI848
Date/time/location of accident: 07/07/07 10:50 p.m. Cal Expo
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equipment (front left hopple hanger came unfa-	e Cadet", who was first over in the two path, suffered broken stened) causing him to fall, unseating Driver L. Svendsen. Injured and resumed his driving duties Wednesday July 11,
2007.	
/s/Oke /Baker /Nicolo	July 13, 2007
Signature of Steward	Date report completed